

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE FIELD



NEW JERSEY STATE COUNCIL ON THE ARTS

National Endowment for the Arts Chairman Rocco Landesman to Visit New Jersey!

October 10, 2012
two public events
Newark ♦ Rahway

Two New Jersey events help the NEA showcase how *Art Works!*



Arts Education Panel 12:00 - 1:15 pm NJPAC, Newark

[Directions and Parking](#)

***This event is free but space is limited.
RSVP now to secure your space.***

The panel will focus on the importance of arts education and touch on key points including a national perspective on best practices; New Jersey's ongoing commitment to the arts in schools; a statewide view of the status of arts education; and a first-hand account of how the arts help build critical life skills.

OPENING REMARKS
NEA Chairman Rocco Landesman

MODERATOR
Dr. Clement Price, Rutgers University
Board of Governors Distinguished Service
Professor of History; Director, Institute on
Ethnicity, Culture & the Modern
Experience

PANELISTS
Ayanna Hudson, Arts Education Director,
National Endowment for the Arts
Bob Morrison, Chair, NJ Arts Education
Partnership; Founder, Quadrant Arts
Education Research
Donna Serio, Retired Director, Fine and
Performing Arts, Franklin Township
Allison Trujillo Strong, 2008 New Jersey
Poetry Out Loud Champion



Creative Placemaking Panel 3:30 - 4:30 pm Hamilton Stage, Rahway

[Directions and Parking](#)

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The panel will focus on the role of the arts in revitalizing communities as a catalyst for generating jobs, bolstering tourism and increasing economic vitality. Representatives from NJ communities will explain how they continue to strategically shape the physical and social character of a location in sustainable ways.

OPENING REMARKS
Lt. Governor Kim Guadagno

MODERATOR
Dr. Carol Cronheim
Assistant Secretary of State

PANELISTS
Rocco Landesman
Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts
Jim Kennedy
former Mayor of the City of Rahway; Vice
President of the Board, Union County
Performing Arts Center
Jean Holtz
Vice President, New Brunswick Development
Corporation
Leo Vazquez
Director, Arts Build Communities

Come Early to Rahway and Join Us!

**NJ State Council on the Arts Public Meeting
3:00pm - Hamilton Stage, Rahway**

Immediately preceding the Creative Placemaking Panel at Hamilton Stage,
the State Arts Council will convene a regular public business meeting.
All are welcome and registration is not required.



These events are held at accessible sites.
Special assistance may be requested upon registration.

